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ELECTRODE-SUPPORTED SOLID STATE ELECTROCHEMICAL

CELL

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RESPONSE

Dear Sir:

Applicants respectfully submit this response to the final Office action of December 9, 2005 as a submission in support of the Request for Continued Examination filed herewith. In response to the final Office action of December 9, 2005, please amend the application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 15 of this paper.

Attachment: Overview of different types of fuel cells, from the U.S. Dept. of Energy, printed from the web site

http://www.eere.energy.gov/hydrogenandfuelcells/fuelcells/fc_types.html.